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9 out of 10

people should carry more Fire Insurance.

In case of Emergency HAVE YOU ENOUGH?

J. A. Burke & Co.

General Insurance Agents
Appomattox, Va.

BUY UNITED STATES WAR BONDS STAMPS

Campbell County FARM and Personal Property

Located on both sides of Big Falling River, about one mile south of Spring Mill, and being sold to settle the estate of the late W. F. Wood.

AT AUCTION

Wednesday, July 14, 11 A. M.

245 acres more or less located on both sides of Falling River, about 100 acres in timber, mostly oak, on which there are about 2,000 cross ties, balance open land, about 60 acres river low ground.

Two story frame residence, with metal roof, eight rooms, two stairways, large front porch.Well water, Stable, six stalls, garage, corn house, chicken house, 3 tin-roof tobacco barns. 3 room tenant house.

This is an excellent farm. 3.1 acres tobacco allotment. 40 acres fenced for pasture, plen y low ground for grain.

PARTIAL LIST OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

2 mules	1 One Horse Sid Swipe Plow
1 Two Houre Wagon	2 Hoes
1 Two Horse Plow	2 Pitch Forks
1 Spike Tooth Harrow	2 Set Plow Harness
2 One Horse Turn Plows	1 Sythe Blade
1 Lay Off Plow	
1 Corn Planter	

Hop'ins Brothers, Auctioneers

Lynchburg, Va.

Hixburg News

Hixburg, July 6.- Farmers are winding up wheat threshieng in this section.

Sgt. Curtis Coleman, of Texas, and Frank Thomas, of Oak Hill, W. Va. recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Joel Coleman.

Mrs. Harry Nusser, of Charleston W Va., Mrs. Wright, of Salem and Mrs. Hugh Swan, of Bluefield, W. Va. recently visited in the home of Mrs. N. S. Topping.

Germans begin offensive action on Orel front in Russia.

Subscrip ion rate: $1.50 a year, payable in advance.

Congress hopes to take a summer recess.

American naval units bomb Kiska base of Japs.

Germans claim a break-through on Russian front.

Carrier Pigeon Is Used To Send Battle Story

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, N. AFRICA.—For the first time in the North African campaign a carrier pigeon has been used to transmit a dispatch from the front lines.

Phil Ault, United Press correspondent, who was an eye-witness to the capture of the Axis base at Gafsa, wrote a dispatch and sent it by pigeon to a forward teleprinter base which relayed it to Allied headquarters.

It took the pigeon 50 minutes to make the trip.

Food Best Fun for Men Back From War

Flying Fortress Crew Home To Teach Others.

SPOKANE, WASH.—The crew of the Flying Fortress, Jack the Ripper, whose members had only one fresh egg apiece during many months in England and that was a reward for a hazardous flight into Germany, puts cating at the top of its entertainment list.

The crew returned to America to pass on its battle experience to new fliers, arriving just in time to stow away a few steaks before meat rationing.

Fresh eggs, gallons of milk, steaks, ice cream and milk shakes—those are what they list as the biggest fun.

The crew of Jack the Ripper, who came to Spokane to begin a tour of Second air force bases, is the first to fly back intact from England in a Fortress.

What are they going to tell the new fliers? Capt. William J. Crumm of Scarsdale, N. Y., the pilot, had one answer: "We're going to tell them what to expect—what a hot reception they will get over enemy territory. We always had a good enemy escort—if that's what you want to call it."

First Lieut. William C. Leasure, of Clymer, Pa., a navigator, said there was "a lot of flak on the coast, but not as bad as over the target."

Captain Crumm added: "If there's any place better defended than the west coast of France, I don't want to go there."

The crew members participated in 11 deep penetration bombing flights and brought down six Focke-Wulfs and one ME-109. Three members of the crew have been wounded, though not seriously.

Mrs. Colyer Parks, of Lynchburg has been spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. Rob Martin.Kinckle Martin, who has returned home from the hospital, is doing as well as can be expected.

Herbert Gilliam, his two daughters and his granddaughters, of Statesville, N. C., are visiting in the homes of Mrs. H. M Marshall and E. P. Sears.

Mrs. J. T. Hix, Barbara, Fan, William and Ruth Hix and Mrs. E. W. Gilliam were business visitors in Farmville Friday.

Miss Kitty Carson spent several days last week in Lynchburg.

Miss Carrie Hix has returned home after a ten-day stay at "Summerrett", Greenwood, Va.

Rev. R. E. Redding filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

Wilson Fulcher continues ill at his home here.

Pamplin

Pamplin, July 5.- Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ligon and sons, Jerry and Samuel, of Pittsburgh, Pa., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Brightwell and Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Ligon.

Walter Gordon, of Bluefield, was a guest in the home of his sister, Mrs. T. R. Inge last week.

Mrs. Christine Taylor, of Lynchburg was the week-end guest of Mrs. O. B. Brooks.

Miss Copeland Johnson, of Farmville State Teachers College spent last week-end in the home if Miss Mary Rives Black.

Mrs. Marshall Harris and Mrs. Elizabeth Johnson and son are visiting their brother, Marion Duling

L. N. Ligon, Jr. and Billy Ligon, of the U S. Army and Mrs. L. N. Ligon, Jr. were week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Ligon.

Mrs. C. H. McCall and daughter, Nancy Jane Hall are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. Jeb Bateman, of Newport News.

Mrs. L. Coles is visiting relatives in Roanoke.

Mrs. N A. Davis and Miss Merle Davis, of Richmond are spending part of the summer at their home here.

Janice Ruth McClenny spent last week with her aunt,Miss Ruth Swan of Hixburg.

C. J. Paulette, of Evergreen recently visited his sister, Mrs. L. M. Southall and Mrs. H.M. Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cumby and son, J. L. Cumby, Jr., of Bennettsville, S.C., were visitors of the former's mother, Mrs. Ro a Cumby last week.

Mrs. C. J. Paulette, Mrs. Louise Martin, Mrs Olive Pierce and daughter Jean were dinner guests in the home of Mr Aileen McClenny on Tuesday.

A name FOR GIRLS to remember! Discover its 2-way help

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*See Directions on the folder!

To The Voters of Stonewall District:

I would like the pleasure of discussing my candidacy for the Office of Supervisor in the Democratic Primary of August 3rd, with each voter personally. However, due to the time this may not be possible. I wish to solicit your vote and support among your friends, and to thank those who are really by supporting my candidacy.

P. Brent Stratton

Your Appliances Do the Work of a Staff of Servants

Your electrical appliances are your own staff of well-trained servants who with some slight pampering and care will allow you to get your housework done quickly and easily. Your beautiful electric range will cook and bake for you in a tasty and nutritious way; your electric refrigerator will keep your vegetables and fruits full of vitamins; your vacuum cleaner will help to keep your house dust-free; your washing machine will relieve you of drudgery.

Hints on Care of APPLIANCES

- Oil motor appliances regularly!
- Repair old or frayed cords!
- Keep screws and bolts tight!
- Pull plug with firm grip —don't jerk!
- Consult Your Dealer!

Your Refrigerator

Defrosting your refrigerator is very important, especially in hot weather. You can defrost and clean in 15 minutes. Disconnect, remove ice trays, place pan of hot water in freezer, clean with baking soda and water, reconnect.

Virginia Public Service Co.

DON'T WASTE ELECTRICITY JUST BECAUSE IT'S NOT RATIONED

BACK UP YOUR BOY

Increase your payroll savings to your family limit

FIGURE IT OUT YOURSELF

TIMES-VIRGINIAN

Any Excuse You Can Find For Not Upping Your Bond Buying Will Please Hitler

Live Weekly Newspaper, Serving the Heart of Virginia's Great Dark Tobacco Belt, at Historic Appomattox, Where War Ended on April 9th, 1865.

VOLUME 51 NUMBER 25 APPOMATTOX, VIRGINIA THURSDAY JULY 1, 1943 ESTABLISHED 1892

Mrs James Spiggle has received word of the safe arrival of her husband, Cpl. John James Spiggle, in Australia. He was promoted to the rank of Corporal while en route.

Lt. Richard McDearmon, of Camp Croft, spent several days last week at his home here.

Mrs. T. U. Conner has received word that her son, Sgt. Walter Conner has arrived safely in North Africa.

Cpl. William Mitchell, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Mitchell, is in North Africa, He writes that he recently saw Richard Davis, colored, of Oakville.

Roy E. Gowin, of Bayonne, N. J., spent Friday and Saturday in Appomattox.

Pvt. Mobie Carter, Jr., of Camp Atterburg, Ind., recently visited his parents, of near here. He is now stationed at Nashville, Tenn.

Ladkin Harvey, of the U. S. Navy recently visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lytton Harvey.

Jack Lawson, U. S. Navy, writes that he is receiving and enjoying the Times-Virginian. He is on duty in the Pacific. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lawson.

Lt Chas H Swing, U S Navy, was in Appomattox over the week end.

Cpl. Roy P. Lucado, of Stony Field, Charleston, S. C., spent several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Lucado, last week.

Sgt Wesley Jarrells, of Fort Meade, Md. spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Jarrells.

STOP ILDING MOTORS

Bus and truck drivers in the Northeastern gasoline shortage area which includes Virginia, have been urged by the Office of Defense Transportation not to waste fuel by letting their motors idle unnecessarily.

If bus and truck drivers were able to save only ONE gallon out of every 1,000 used along the Atlantic seaboard, the amount saved in a 6-day week weeu would be equivalent to the amount required to Fuel 15 Liberator bombers during three trips from a British base to Berlin and back.

Keep a mechanized division moving for five hours...

Keep 50 fighter planes in the air 17 hours.

Lower Age For SchoolEntrance

In a meeting held last Saturday the State Board of Education voted to change the minimum age of admission to the public schools, allowing children to enter in September who will become 6 prior to October 1st, thereby shaving a month off the present minimum. In addition to this the board simplified the resolution passed by it last month requiring localities to carry insurance on their school buses as a prerequisite to sharing in state aid for school bus operators. This amplification sets the minimum insurance provisions as follows: $5,000 liability for injury to one person, $50,000 for the bus itself and $5,000 for property damage.

More than 23 railway tank cars of heavy fuel are needed to supply a single destroyer on a round-trip convoy trip between the East Coast and North Africa.

JAP PRISONERS DIE

More than 300 U. S. war casualties are the result of unhealthful conditions in Japanese prison camps according to messages received from Japan through the International Red Cross.

OVER THE TOP FOR VICTORY WITH UNITED STATES WAR BONDS-STAMPS

Conservation On The Farm

One of a series of articles about what Appomattox farmers are doing.

For convincing proof of the value of mowing pastures, farmers are invited to inspect the pastures of Mr. W. D. Hix, located at Hixburg.

As a result of periodic mowings, Mr. Hix has one of the best pastures in Appomattox County, says C. S. Booth, Assistant Conservationist of the Robert E. Lee Soil Conservation District.

Mr. Hix mows his pastures twice a year, the conservationist reports. Under this treatment, weeds and brush have disappeared and have been replaced by grasses and legumes. This has increased the carrying capacities of the pastures and prevents undesirable flavors in the milk.

Many other farmers in the county have found that mowing is a simple conservation practice that pays big dividends. It is common knowledge that good pastures provide cheap food for livestock, but good pastures can not long exist if weeds are allowed to choke out the grass and smaller growing legumes.

Good sod like that found in Mr. Hix's pasture not only produces an abundance of high quality feed, but serves also to control soil erosion. Pastures taken over by weeds soon begin to erode as weeds fail to form sufficient sod to protect against soil washing.

REV. SPAIN TO PRACH AT ROCKS CHURCH

Rev. Charles Spain will preach at Rocks Baptist Church on Sunday, July 4th, in the absence of the pastor, Rev. A. C. Lawson.

TO BEGIN REVIVAL AT CENTRAL CHURCH

Rfvival meetings will begin at the Central Baptist Church on Sunday morning, July 4th. Services Sunday night and all through the following week. Song service starts at 8:30 P. M. The pastor, Rev. A. C. Lawson, will do the preaching. A cordial invitation to all.

RESOLUTION

Appomattox, Va.
June, 1943

Liberty Church lost one of her most loyal members in the death of Deacon John T. Cole, on May 12, 1943.

He was a native of Pittsylvania County but had been a resident of Appomattox County for about forty years, and at the time of his death was Senior Deacon, in his 66th year.

He was modest and reserved but a man whose life won the confidence and esteem of all who knew him, and one of whom it can truly be said. "He was a sincere Christian gentleman."

He leaves one son Benjiman C. Cole, and five grandchildren; his wife, two daughters and one son having preceded him to the grave.

The Church, the Community and his family have sustained a loss that cannot be replaced.

F. L. Murphy
R. L. Burke
A. R. Harwood(Committee.

AN OFFICIAL WAR MESSAGE

Boost YOUR BOND BUYING thru PAYROLL SAVINGS

U. S. Treasury Department

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Appomattox Lumber Goes Into The War Program

Lumber Ready to move from The Hunter Lumber Company

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Looks as though Virginia coffee drinkers may have that second cup of coffee is they want it. Large stocks of green coffee already on hand in the United States, as well as the more regular arrival of imports with which to maintain these stocks, make it possible to move increasing amounts of coffee into the hands both of roasters and consumers. Coffee stamp number 21 in ration book one becomes valid for one pound of coffee on July 1 and will expire on July 21. Stamp number 22 will be valid from July 22 to Augus. 11.

Destroy Old Food Stamps

The OPA is urging Virginians to destroy ration stamps for processed foods or meats which are not used during their period of validity.

100,000 DEHYDRATORS

A plan for making 100,000 domestic food dehydrators before September 1 has been approved by WPB.

The shellac coating formerly applied to oranges to prevent their shrinkage in transit has been replaced by a wax coating to save shellac for war use.

FIRST COPIES OF NEW RATION BOOK RECEIVED

Several hundred Appomattox county people have already received through the mails their copies of ration book No. Three. However, do not be alarmed if yours has not arrived yet, as less than one-third of the mailing has been completed from Richmond.

"Hitler doesn't like our lumber." . . . That's because our producers, all out for war, have supplied Uncle Sam with millions of feet of pine, poplar, and harwood lumber for ships, planes, trucks and other items essential to the winning of the war.

And Hitler will like it less and less. For American victories in Tunisia and the Pacific are spurring the industry to greater efforts in determination that there shall be sufficient lumber flowing at all times for America's ever-expanding front lines.

The Hunter Lumber Company at Appomattox is an example of an industry all-out for speeding the war effort. This business began operation in Appomattox in 1936, on a small scale, having one sawmill and no planing outfit at all. It was called "sawmill teapot in the valley." However, this business has grown and now operates two full-time sawmills and a planing mill, with a monthly output of nearly four-hundred thousand feet of lumber. The lumber producted is used 100 per cent for government projects, and is shipped to various points in Virginia, New York, Massa., Penn., New Jersey, Ohio, Washington, and even to Africa.

The picture above shows one of the Hunter Lumber Company trucks which conveys lumber to nearby shipping points. Rail service is used whenever possible.

The mine prop, cross tie and pulp wood business, coupled with various other milling enterprises make the timber industry the greatest it has ever been in this county.

Right now it is aimed to bring a speedy victory in the war. But, it is quite likely that the timber business will continue to boom in the era of reconstruction after the war.

Americans open new drive in the Southwest Pacific.

Last Minute Rush Marks Bond Drive

With a last minute rush bringing splendid results, the members of the Appomattox Lions Club eagerly await final tabulation at their next meeting to determine the official winner of the June War Bond selling contest. Indications are that the Lions members sold between $20,000 and $28,000, issue value, in bonds during June. The quota for the entire county was only $15,000, so the Club really did a bang-up job of bond selling.

Chas. T. Moses and J. W. Flood were captains of the two Lions club teams, one composed the "Southside" members and the other of "Northside" members.

It is likely tha. the final result will show that the club sold better than a $1,000 bond per active member average.

Spurred on by the club's drive, it is though: that the county quota for June was more than doubled.

Minute Men Will Drill on Friday Night

Both Appomattox Companies of the Virginia Reserve Militia will drill Friday night of this week, in preparation for approaching maneuvers and parade at Elon, where they will be joined by other companies in this area.

Appomattox is the only Virginia county having two companies of the Reserve Militia, known as "Minute Men," we are informed by officers of the unit. G. F. Abbitt, Jr., is Captain of one of the Appomattox companies, and Dr. C. G. O'Brien is Captain of the other Company. There are over sixty members. The companies were formed about nine months ago, and have had regular drills since.

Friday's drill will be at the Court House.

In the approaching maneuvers, the Minute Men will serve as a holding force, together with units from nearby counties, seeking to join an imaginary enemy, represented by the Lynchburg Protective Force, until regular troops take over. The maneuvers will be judged by Army officers.

Successful Test Blackout Here Tuesday

A test blackout was held in Virginia Tuesday night, and the response here was considered very satisfactory by local officials. The preliminary "yellow" signal came on at 9:25 P. M., followed by the "blue" at 9:45, the "red" at 10 o'clock, the second "blue" at 10:15, and the "all-clear" at 10:26.

Due to the lateness of the test, most of the local population was at home when the blackout signal was sounded. However, wardens were soon at their posts and traffic ceased.

SERVICES FOR SERVICE MEN GROUP TO MEET AT LIBRARY ON TUESDAY, JULY 6th

Services for Service Men meeting will be held at the county library Tuesday, July 6th at 3:30 P. M. David Robertson, U. S. Marines, who has seen active service and is home on furlough, will be the guest for the day. The public is invited to attend.

Case of Infantile Paralysis is Reported

A case of infantile paralysis has been reported in this county, the victim being Samuel Strode Morgan, colored, who recently passed Army induction and was scheduled to leave Wednesday of this week for active duty. He has been taken to a Richmond hospital.